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REFERENCES

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REMARKS

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1. Between 6 p.m. and 8:15 p.m. on 22 September 1953, about 500 troops wearing red-bordered black epaulets, mostly with artillery insignia; 16 model-38 76.2-mm AA guns and about 40 trucks.

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and ammunition boxes were detrained at the Chemnitz main railroad station for the barracks installation on Leninstrasse.<sup>1</sup>

2. On 2 October, units of several branches of service entered the barracks installation in Jena.<sup>2</sup>

3. On 2 October, an engineer unit arrived in Weimar.<sup>3</sup>

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1. Comment. The observation confirms the return of units of the 6th Gds AAA Div, which came from Wustrow on trains

2. Comment. Elements of the 20th Gds Mecz Div are rather safely believed to have returned from Ohrdruf.

3. Comment. The engineer unit observed is rather safely believed to have been the 19th Indep Gds Engr Bn of the Eighth Gds Army, which, from 29 September to 1 October, had been entrained in Dessau.

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